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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

LAW DEPARTMENT

No. 130/Leg./2025-LD.

Puducherry, dated 5th November 2025.

The following Act of the Legislative Assembly, Puducherry, received the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, on the 04th day of November, 2025 and is hereby published for general information.

Jhanaz Raffi @ Jhansi,
Under Secretary to Government (Law).

THE PUDUCHERRY VILLAGE AND COMMUNE PANCHAYATS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2025
(Act No. 6 of 2025)

(04-11-2025)

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ACT

further to amend the Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats Act, 1973.

BE it enacted by the Puducherry Legislative Assembly in the Seventy-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats (Amendment) Act, 2025.

(2) It shall come into force on and from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

Amendment of section 121.

2. In Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats Act, 1973 (here after referred to as the principal Act,) for section 121, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

(1) No business or trade shall be carried on within the jurisdiction of the Commune Panchayat without the trade licence issued by the Commissioner. The Government shall make rules to prescribe the procedure to be followed by the Commissioner for issuing of the trade licence.

(2) The trade licence issued shall be valid for not exceeding five years on payment of the trade licence fee as notified by the Government.

(3) The trade licence issued shall be renewed on application by the licence holder and on payment of the licence fee.

(4) If it is found that the licence was obtained by making a false statement or misrepresentation of any material facts, the same shall be revoked as per the prescribed procedure.

(5) Where the existing trade licencee has filed the required application for renewal before the commencement of this Act within the time provided under the existing provisions of the Act, it shall be considered for renewal under the provisions of the Act.

(6) The provisions contained in this Act or any rule or regulations made thereunder shall continue to apply to the trade licences, so far as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Chapter.

Amendment of section 122.

3. In the principal Act, section 122 shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 123.

4. (1) In the principal Act, in section 123 in sub-section (1) the clause (c) shall be omitted.

(2) In the said section, the sub-section (2) and the proviso clause thereunder, shall be omitted.

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